



**STATE OF NEW JERSEY
Board of Public Utilities
Two Gateway Center
Newark, New Jersey 07102**

**CONSENT AGENDA FOR BOARD MEETING
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2003
10:00 a.m. – NEWARK**

I. AUDITS

- A. Docket No. TE02070392 – In the Matter of the Petition for an Order Authorizing American Long Lines, Inc. to Provide Competitive Facilities-Based Local Exchange Services and Exchange Access Services Throughout New Jersey.
- B. Docket No. TE02060319 – In the Matter of the Petition for an Order Authorizing Paetec Communications, Inc. to Provide Local Exchange and Interexchange Telecommunications Services Throughout New Jersey.

II. ENERGY

- A. Docket No. EM02010029 – In the Matter of Jersey Central Power and Light Company Sale of Land in the City of Long Branch, Monmouth County, New Jersey to Park Avenue Estates, LLC for \$52,500.

III. CABLE TELEVISION

- A. Docket No. CE02100787 – In the Matter of the Petition of Comcast Cablevision of Monmouth County, Inc. for a Renewal Certificate of Approval to Continue to Construct, Operate and Maintain a Cable Television System in and for the Township of Holmdel, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey.

IV. TELECOMMUNICATIONS

- A. Docket Nos. TE02100740 through TE02100759 – In the Matter of the Petition of Verizon New Jersey, Inc. for Approval of Municipal Consents Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:2-14.
- B. Docket No. TT01070440 – In the Matter of the Petition of United Telephone Company of New Jersey, Inc. for Revision of Tariff N.J. B.P.U. No. 4 to Make, Miscellaneous Changes that Clarify the Provision of Access Services.
- C. Docket No. TT01110762 – In the Matter of the Petition of United Telephone Company of New Jersey, Inc. for Revision of Tariff N.J. B.P.U. No. 4 to Make, Miscellaneous Changes to Clarify the Provision of Access Services.

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V. WATER AND WASTEWATER

- A. Docket No. WE01100647 – In the Matter of the Petition of New Jersey American Water Company, Inc. for Approval of Municipal Consent Granted by the Township of Colts Necks, County of Monmouth.

VI. RELIABILITY AND SECURITY

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

VII. CUSTOMER ASSISTANCE

- A. Docket Nos. BPU WC02030201U and OAL PUC 4044-02 – In the Matter of Macey Bullock, Petitioner, v. New Jersey-American Water Company, Respondent.
- B. Docket Nos. BPU GC01070454U and OAL PUC 9696-01 – In the Matter of Eugene & Mildred Baylis, Petitioner, v. Elizabethtown Gas Company, Respondent.

VIII. MISCELLANEOUS

- A. Approval of the Minutes of April 3, and April 17, 2002.



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2. ENERGY

- A. Docket. No. EX01110754 - the Matter of the Provision of Basic Generation Service Pursuant to the Electric Discount and Energy Competition Act, N.J.S.A. 48:3-49 et. seq. – BGS Auction Procedural Schedule.¹
- B. Docket. No. EO02120955 - In the Matter of the New Jersey Clean Energy Program.
- C. Docket. No. GR02100760 - In the Matter of the Petition of New Jersey Natural Gas Company for the Annual Review and Approval of its Basic Gas Supply Service (BGSS), Gas Cost Recovery (GCR) Factor for Calendar Year 2003 (Formerly Levelized Gas Adjustment (LGA)).

3. CABLE TELEVISION

- A. Docket No. CR02100714 – In the Matter of Comcast Cablevision of Garden State, L.P. Carney's Point for Approval of the Filings of FCC Forms 1240, an Annual Updating of the Maximum Permitted Rate for the Regulated Basic Cable Service Using the Optional Expedited Rate Procedures.
- B. Docket Nos. CR02100717 and CR02100718 - In the Matter of Comcast Cablevision of Monmouth County, Inc. (Monmouth and Freehold) for Approval of the Filing of FCC Form 1240, an Annual Updating of the Maximum Permitted Rate for the Regulated Basic Cable Service Using the Optional Expedited Rate Procedures.

¹ The BGS auction began on February 3, 2003. The purpose of this item is to have the Commissioners available to consider matters that may arise and may require prompt Board action related to the conduct of the auction as it proceeds. It is anticipated that the Agenda meeting will be recessed and the matter will be continued, and reconvened if necessary, prior to the next regularly scheduled Board Agenda meeting on February 23, 2003. Public notice of the intention to reconvene will be posted on the Board's web site as soon as possible.

3. CABLE TELEVISION (CONT'D)

- C. Docket No. CR02100720 - In the Matter of Comcast Cablevision of Ocean County, Inc. for Approval of the Filing of FCC Form 1240, an Annual Updating of the Maximum Permitted Rate for the Regulated Basic Cable Service Using the Optional Expedited Rate Procedures.
- D. Docket No. CR02100721 - In the Matter of Comcast Cablevision of Plainfield, Inc. for Approval of the Filing of FCC Form 1240, an Annual Updating of the Maximum Permitted Rate for the Regulated Basic Cable Service Using the Optional Expedited Rate Procedures.
- E. Docket Nos. CR02100711, CR02100712 and CR02100713 – In the Matter of Comcast Cablevision of Central New Jersey, Inc. (East Brunswick East Windsor and West Windsor) for Approval of the Filing of FCC Form 1240, an Annual Updating of the Maximum Permitted Rate for the Regulated Basic Cable Service Using the Optional Expedited Rate Procedures.
- F. Docket No. CR02100716 - In the Matter of Comcast Cablevision of Gloucester County, Inc. for Approval of the Filing of FCC Form 1240, an Annual Updating of the Maximum Permitted Rate for the Regulated Basic Cable Service Using the Optional Expedited Rate Procedures.
- G. Docket No. CR02100710 - In the Matter of Comcast Cablevision of Burlington County, Inc. for Approval of the Filing of FCC Form 1240, an Annual Updating of the Maximum Permitted Rate for the Regulated Basic Cable Service Using the Optional Expedited Rate Procedures.
- H. Docket No. CS03010035 - In the Matter of the Alleged Failure of RCN Telecom Services, Inc., and Home Link Communications, L.P. to Comply with Provisions of the New Jersey Cable Television Act N.J.S.A. 48:5A-1 et. seq. and /or the New Jersey Administrative Code N.J.A.C. 14:18-1 et seq.
- I. Docket No. CX01070460 – In the Matter of an Inquiry into the Operations of RCN Telecom Services, Inc. – **See Executive Session.**
- J. Docket. No. CF02100730 – In the Matter of the Petition of Patriot Media and Communications CNJ, LLC for Approval to Incur Indebtedness and to Pledge Assets.
- K. Docket. No. CM02090653 - In the Matter of the Petition of RCN Telecom Services, Inc. and Patriot Media & Communications CNJ, LLC for Approval of the Transfer of Certificates of Approval, for the Transfer of Partnership Interests and for Approval of the Sale of Assets.

3. CABLE TELEVISION (CONT'D)

- L. Docket. No. CC03010023 - In the Matter of the Alleged Non-Compliance by RCN of NY, a Wholly Owned Subsidiary of RCN Corporation, with the Requirements of N.J.S.A. 48:5A-15, 16, 17, and 22 Requiring Municipal Consent from the City of Jersey City and a Certificate of Approval from the Board for Newport Community – **See Executive Session.**

4. TELECOMMUNICATIONS

- A. Docket No. TX95120631 - In the Matter of the Investigation Regarding Local Exchange Competition for Telecommunications Services, and

Docket No. TX98010010 - In the Matter of the Board's Investigation Regarding the Status of Local Exchange Competition in New Jersey.

5. WATER AND WASTEWATER

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

6. RELIABILITY AND SECURITY

- A. Docket. No. GX03010029 - In the Matter of the Proposed Rule Re-adoption with Amendments N.J.A.C. 14:7 Natural Gas Pipelines.
- B. Docket. No. EX02120950 – In the Matter of the Jersey Central Power & Light Company Storm Restoration Effort for the August 2, 2002 Outages – Report - **See Executive Session.**
- C. Docket No. EM00110870 – In the Matter of FirstEnergy Corporation & GPU – Approval of Change in Ownership and Acquisition of Control of a Public Utility - Review and Monitoring of Merger Conditions – **See Executive Session.**

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- A. Non-Docketed Matter – In the Matter of the New Source Review.

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